



SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 11, 1903.

Another anniversary of the resurrection morn will be celebrated tomorrow, and on Monday, should the weather permit, the first general outing of the year will be engaged in by the younger generation as well as by many of their elders. The hillsides and swamps are again clothed in green and nature is reviving from its long and weary winter's sleep. The ground hog has run its course, the sun has crossed the line and mild fruiting weather is at our doors. Easter and the Passover—both moveable feasts—fall this year on the same day. The former is to believers in the New Dispensation an interesting and joyous event, one upon which their faith hinges. The Passover brings to mind an equally interesting event in the history of the Israelites—the eating of the paschal lamb and the exodus from the land of bondage thirty-odd centuries ago. Both Jew and Gentile will be engaging in commemorative exercises on the same day this year. A few years ago a rabbi lectured in Alexandria. His subject was "The Wandering Jew." He was thoughtful and conservative throughout and in closing said in substance: "Judaism and Christianity have come down the centuries side by side teaching important truths. They may be likened to the rivers Euphrates and Tigris, flowing parallel, watering, beautifying and refreshing the earth, and finally blending their waters in the Persian Gulf. At the close of time who knows but the two great religious systems, like the waters of those rivers, may not blend their truths after having refreshed and taught the world the greatest lessons for nearly four thousand years?"

REV. J. W. LISSENDEN, pastor of a Baptist Church in Freehold, N. J., makes the startling announcement that the world will come to an end about the year 1915. He says he has always been a great student of figures on Bible subjects, and for this reason thinks himself qualified to make this momentous proclamation. Rev. John Cumming, of England, was a man of great mind and doubtless one of the most earnest and highly educated Bible students that the world has produced in our day, but he, said as it is to relate, went adrift when he wrote a book entitled "The Great Preparation," in which he fixed "the consummation of all things" in the year 1866. Others before him equally as pious, but lacking his learning, had fixed a year in the early forties for the wind-up of things terrestrial. There were many before Cumming fell asleep (1881) who were convinced that the world's history would terminate sometime during that year, and now Mr. Lissenden, who says his opinion is shared by an English student, has placed the event but twelve years hence. While the study of prophecy is commendable, it is believed by many who have devoted equally as much thought to this part of the scriptures, and who firmly believe all will eventually be fulfilled, that the fixing of dates by earnest but over zealous or misguided people rather tends to bring the faith into ridicule. Christian people who escaped from Pompeii and Herculaneum in the beginning of the present era supposed the end of all things was at hand, and nearly eighteen hundred years later when a meteoric shower (but little understood in those days) startled people hereabouts, many imagined the archangel's clarion was about to sound. The planet, however, continues on its sidereal journey all the same as the years come and go.

THE DECISION of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in St. Paul, Minn., on Thursday in the Northern Securities case is variously received by those most deeply interested. Not for a long time has a court decision so thoroughly stirred up the financial and industrial world. All sorts of comment and criticism are to be heard in financial circles. As a result of the injunction against the Northern Securities Company Jay Cooke, the veteran financier, predicts the doom of all merger plans involving the great railroad enterprises of the country. Assistant Attorney General Beck, discussing the decision, expresses the opinion that the Sherman anti-trust law has been given the force of judicial reinforcement that is of far-reaching importance. He says the Constitution of the United States is not changed by the effect of the court's decision, but the sphere of its activity has been widened. The responsibility is now placed upon the people to make any change they desire to make in the relation of the railroads to the State. Former U. S. Attorney General Griggs, but now counsel for the Northern Securities Company, attacks the decision as revolutionary, and says an appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court of the United States, and so we go.

HENRY WARD BEECHER, when "in the flesh," seldom minced words in expressing his opinions of things he dis-

liked or did not believe in. He was especially caustic in venting his opinion of spiritualism and so-called visits of shades from another world. Among other things in referring to the latter he said their messages were meagre, unsatisfactory, that the spirits always seemed to be in a hurry, and, in short, lost what little sense they had while on earth as soon as they passed behind the veil. Beecher, it would seem, since he entered the unseen world, has become as much of an imbecile as those who have preceded him. He is represented as telling a New York publisher recently where to find "Prof. West's Widow's Mite"—only this and nothing more. Beecher, with all his foibles, was of a great mind, and why, as a messenger from another realm, into whose mysteries so many are interested, he should restrict his communication to "Prof. West's Widow's Mite" is hard to comprehend in the face of so many other things which the race at large desire to know of the world of shades.

THE Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of New York has rendered a decision in effect that a labor union has not the right to order its men to quit work when they are in receipt of wages demanded by the organization, and where the only question over which there is any difference is a refusal of employer to recognize the union or its representative. The courts, whenever such cases are brought before them, hold that employers as well as organizations have some rights that must be respected.

LENT is over; now what will the devout do with the time they have been spending in church during the past six weeks?

## FROM WASHINGTON.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] Washington, D. C., April 11. Friends of Adjutant General Henry C. Corbin, who was refused admission to the membership of the exclusive Metropolitan Club of this city, are threatening to endeavor to disrupt that organization in retaliation for the slight that has been inflicted upon their comrade in arms. A movement is afoot to persuade all army and navy officers belonging to the club to resign in a body. If such a thing could be brought about, it would prove a severe blow to the social status of the Metropolitan. The idea is derided, however, by those who were most active in bringing about General Corbin's discomfiture. They say that no such attempt can succeed, for the simple reason that it has not the sympathy of either army or navy officers. Although the latter as a rule, from motives of policy, make no objection to the election of General Corbin, they have shown no resentment on account of his failure. On the contrary, it is asserted, that at heart and privately and confidentially, many of them were rather pleased than otherwise, for they themselves had been sufferers because of the brusqueness of General Corbin, when acting in the capacity of an official superior.

Leo Cohen, an infant, by his mother and next friend, Mrs. Rae Cohen, entered suit today against the Capital Traction Company for the recovery of the sum of \$25,000 damages, alleged to have been suffered by the infant on June 4 last, by reason of being run over by a car belonging to the defendant company. The declaration sets forth that on the day referred to the boy was crossing the tracks of the defendant company when he was struck without warning by a rapidly moving car, which injured him to such an extent that he was compelled to suffer amputation of one of his limbs and was otherwise seriously and permanently injured.

An appeal in the case of Whitaker Wright, the English operator recently arrested in New York, reached the Supreme Court of the United States today. Wright is now in Ludlow street jail under an order of extradition on the charge of having committed fraud while engaged as a director of an English corporation. The Federal Circuit Court, sitting in New York city, refused to admit Wright to bail or to issue a writ of habeas corpus in his case. The appeal to the Supreme Court is for the purpose of securing Wright's liberty pending the examination of his books in England. A motion will be made on Monday to advance the case.

The light April showers of today did not interfere materially with the attendance at the Benning races, and as those races will end on Tuesday evening the crowds from now on are expected to be large. The event of today will be the Southern Hunters' steeplechase when the Chevy Chase Hunt Club's best sportsmen meet the Warren, Piedmont and Pine Ridge Hunt Club men. It is estimated that the 'bookies' at Benning yesterday lost more than \$50,000—five heavily favored favorites winning.

The Controller of the Currency today issued a call for statements of the condition of national banks at the close of business on Thursday, April 9.

United States Consul Maxwell, at Santo Domingo, reports that on the 9th instant the insurgents were driven into Santo Domingo, and only the batteries and infantry checked the advances of the government forces. Firing continued until the morning of the 10th and he says there is still a desultory fighting.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

The business failures in the United States for the week ending with April 9 number 153, against 145 last week, 182 in like week of 1902.

Hon. William J. Bryan, at Parkersburg, W. Va., denied yesterday that he is seeking the chairmanship of the Democratic National Committee.

The Venezuelan revolutionists have defeated the government forces in the neighborhood of Caracas, and have also captured the city of Barquisimeto.

Yung Lu, the controller of finance and first grand secretary of China, is dead. Since the death of Li Hung Chang, he had dictated the imperial policy.

Two attempts have been made within the last five days to destroy the cup-defender Reliance, nearing completion in the Herreshoff yards at Bristol, R. I., by fire.

Daniel Lamont says the decision in the railroad merger case will make little difference in the management of those roads, even if the decision is affirmed by the Supreme Court.

The Confederate monument, which is being erected in "Our Soldiers' cemetery one mile north of Mount Jackson by the Mount Jackson Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will be unveiled on the 6th of June.

## MR. GORMAN'S VIEWS.

Senator Gorman was in New York yesterday and during an interview said: "The leading issue of the presidential campaign of 1904 may be determined by the events of the next 12 months. Issues will shape themselves. They will be indicated, perhaps, in the debates during the next session of Congress. While it is too early to attempt to name the issues in the order of their importance they will assume before the public, some idea of their relative importance may be had from the discussion in Congress within the next year."

Senator Gorman was asked about the forthcoming gubernatorial campaign in Maryland. "Our State," he said, "seems wedded to the idea of rotation in office. Gov. Smith, I have heard, does not seek a renomination. The only gentleman who has declared himself is Mr. Warfield. He is of a family prominent in Maryland affairs for more than a century, has made a great success in business and seems generally liked. No one else has announced that he seeks the nomination." About the recent primary in Baltimore the Senator would say only that the outworking of the new primary laws seems to have wiped out any ground for the accusation that the primary elections do not faithfully record the preference of voters in Baltimore. Democrats, he said, who were loyal to the party would accept the result gracefully and support the candidate. It was intimated that the Senator had been especially friendly to Mr. McNamee. On this point he said: "I do not know Mr. McNamee personally, although, of course, I know his uncle very intimately, as well as his father. It is known in Baltimore that I took no active part in the recent primary contest."

Senator Gorman's son, who was present, has not entered politics, and the Senator said that while he did not oppose his son's taking up a political career, he did not know that A. P. Jr. desired especially to follow in his father's footsteps. The article by Bryan on Cleveland was shown to the Senator, who declined to make any comment upon it, except to say that Mr. Bryan, being editor of a newspaper, necessarily felt it incumbent upon him to speak often on the situation for the benefit of his readers.

## SENATOR DANIEL'S VIEWS.

Senator Daniel, who is in Washington, says that, in his opinion, all speculation as to the probable democratic nominee for the presidency next year is premature. It is entirely too soon, he said, "for the democrats to settle upon any one man. A year and a half constitutes a long time in American politics, and many things may happen between the present and convention time to alter the whole aspect of affairs. The next Congress will discuss the live issues of the day and the attitude of the two parties upon such issues will then be clearly defined. That tariff reform will enter in the next campaign is inevitable. The merchants and manufacturers, as well as the farmers and consumers of the country, are interested in having the tariff judiciously revised, and the democratic party ought to realize that such a revision should be made upon lines that will not carry destruction to manufactures, commerce and labor. It should be borne in mind that our industrial interests are so diverse that no abstract theory can be applied to them. Therefore compromise is essential if we wish to accomplish a generally good result. It being conceded that American goods are sold cheaper in many foreign countries than they are at home, it is obvious that we are building up foreign interests at the expense of our own, while the heavy prices charged at home create inordinate wealth upon the one hand and carry oppression on the other. The money question must become one of prime importance during the first session of the Fifty-eighth Congress, and the Aldrich bill regulating the deposit of customs revenues in national banks must be superseded by a more comprehensive measure. The republican party being in control the outcome may be such as to throw that party out of the management of the government."

## RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Ashtabula O., April 11.—Train No. 211, the Buffalo-Pittsburgh sleeper on the Jamestown and Franklin branch of the Lake Shore was telescoped in this city at 3:30 o'clock this morning by a yard engine which was running to Youngstown as a second section. Fireman Frank Bogue, formerly of Cleveland, was putting coal in the furnace when the shock of the collision caused three tons of coal to chuck forward burning Bogue against the fired box Engineer Ernest Schackel of the pony and engineer Wm. Britcher and conductor John Belknap of the passenger train were injured so that a new crew had to be secured for the run. The sleeper was half demolished and several passengers were more or less injured but all continued their journey. The passenger train had slowed up to pick up a flagman. Bogue was instantly killed.

News was received at Cincinnati Mont., from the President this morning. He is in camp, studying elk, forty miles from Fort Yellowstone. Naturalist Burroughs who was not able to go camp with the President on the first day, because of a severe cold, joined him today.

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

George A. Pinkham, of Lambert's Point, claims to have discovered a process that will revolutionize steel-making.

The Court of Appeals has refused to grant a new trial to Samuel Waters, colored, murderer, who will hang in Norfolk next Wednesday unless Governor Montague interferes.

Governor Montague has appointed as delegates to the National Conference of Charities and Corrections, in Atlanta next month, Captain A. C. Michie, Bartlett Bolling, Eppa Rixey and Phil. Leterman, all of Albemarle county.

In Winchester yesterday the county grand jury returned eleven additional indictments against ex-Mayor David E. Edmondson, Albert Rhodes, and Mrs. Lucy Malster on the charges of robbery and arson in connection with the Middletown arson cases.

The British-American Tobacco Company, composed of the Continental Tobacco Company and the American Tobacco Company, of this continent, and the Imperial Tobacco Company, of England, has bought the big factory of the T. C. Williams Tobacco Company in Richmond.

A telegram from Seaton Hospital, New York city, to Maj. Samuel M. Yost, of Staunton, announced the death on Thursday, of his son, Samuel R. Yost. Mr. Yost had been in the hospital about eight months, and was being treated for consumption. He was thirty-nine years old.

Mayor Taylor, of Richmond, has approved the ordinance prohibiting the sale of toy pistols which proved so disastrous to the small boys about the Christmas holidays. Dealers are prohibited from selling, giving or lending toy pistols or rifles to minors under a penalty of not less than \$10 or more than \$30 fine for each offense.

Roy Anderson and Miss Ruby Tolbert, the latter a student at the Episcopal Female Institute at Winchester, and a resident of Moorefield, W. Va., and Marion Mauck and Miss Emma Carter of Woodstock, left last night for Hagerstown, Md., for the purpose of being married. The police of Winchester were endeavoring to prevent the marriage of the first-named couple.

Janitor Rowe, of the Capitol force in Richmond, who was, years ago, a stone-cutter, was given permission a few days ago to remedy the injury by relieving the Washington statue in the rotunda of the Capitol. He made a fine job, the corner of the moldboard to the plow being smoothed off so nicely that the injury would not be noticed by a stranger.

The local option election held in Leesburg magisterial district on Thursday resulted in the defeat of the "wets" by a majority of 26 votes. The vote was as follows: Leesburg, wet, 152; dry, 198; Lucketts, wet, 64; dry, 44. This district was the only "wet" district in Loudoun county, and was carried two years ago by a small majority by the advocates for liquor license.

## LEGISLATURE.

### SENATE.

The Senate yesterday fixed next Tuesday at noon to dispose of the Campbell case.

The conference committee reported the House amendment to the child labor bill. The report was adopted, and the bill now goes to the governor. The bill, as passed, is substantially the Lyle bill. It prohibits the employment of children under 12 years of age, and regulates the hours of work for those under 14 years. The passage of the bill was after a long fight for the prevention of regulation of child labor in mills, factories and manufacturing establishments. The bill limits the working of children under 14 years of age to 10 hours daily.

Mr. Eoff introduced a measure, which, in effect, is a companion bill to the Barksdale pure election bill, and provides that any corporation, or agent of any corporation which extends financial aid to any candidate, shall be subject to a fine of from \$5,000 to \$10,000. The bill also requires county, city and town chairmen to make sworn itemized statements of all money equivalent paid them.

The Senate adjourned until Monday.

### HOUSE.

The House refused to pass the bill appropriating \$50,000 for defending certain suits against the constitution, and a motion to reconsider was made and passed by.

A bill was introduced to prevent two or more persons from combining and conspiring together for the purpose of preventing, deterring or hindering persons from working for whomsoever they please and for the punishment of the same. The Senate bill regulating the killing and shipment of game was discussed for a time, but was not acted on, as the tonnage tax bill came up as a special order. Mr. Garrett was speaking on this measure when the House adjourned.

### MUST MAKE STEAMBOATS SAFE.

"No quarter" is the motto of the new inspector general of steamboats Mr. Uhler who recently in Washington had before him the first budget of cases of fines imposed for disobedience of the steamboat inspection law. The outgoing mail carried a large number of refusals to remit penalties. Word has gone forth that henceforth no mercy will be shown in cases of negligence and forgetfulness. Inspection certificates will not be allowed to lapse on any consideration. The new inspector general desires that all inspectors shall be especially vigilant in regard to the large number of excursion boats that are now fitted out for the summer.

### ALLEGED PLOT.

The rumors current in Vienna of a plot against the life of King Alexander of Serbia received apparent confirmation in private dispatches which have been received at Budapest and according to which an attack on King's life was planned for next Sunday. The plot was discovered, and 50 persons suspected of complicity therein were arrested. Other arrests are expected. Semi-official reports from Belgrade declare that these rumors are false; but it is thought that King Alexander's recent coup d'etat was hastened by the discovery of the alleged plot.

Ordinary household accidents have no terror when there is a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief.

### DIED.

On Friday night, April 10, 1903, at her home, 1115 Duke street, MARY S. RICHARDSON, wife of W. A. Richardson. The funeral will take place from her late residence Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

## TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Shamrock III Beaten by Shamrock I. Weymouth, April 11.—Shamrock I. won the test race with Shamrock III. today, on time allowance. The times of the two yachts at the finish of the second round were: Shamrock III. 1:48.38; Shamrock I. 1:55.9. Shortly after the yachts started on the second round the wind died down somewhat and the new challenger was unable to maintain the gains which she had made in the first round and the early part of the second. Shamrock III. shortly before the completion of the race collided with a steam yacht and had her bowsprit carried away. The accident happened just before the race was finished. The challenger grazed against the stern of the steam yacht Matador, losing her bowsprit. She had to take in her spinnaker. She finished the race, but the accident caused her defeat by the old boat. In connection with today's accident yachtsmen recall the fact that Shamrock II. on the occasion of her first trial with Shamrock I. on May 10th, 1901, was also disabled by an accident. King Edward and Sir Thomas Lipton were both aboard Shamrock II. the day of the accident. The racer was bowling along under sails when she struck a squall and downpour of rain. Her topmast, which was weak, was unable to stand the strain and was carried away and fell to the deck, narrowly escaping Sir Thomas and his royal visitor.

### ANOTHER ACCOUNT OF THE ACCIDENT.

Weymouth, April 11.—When the race was almost finished the steam yacht Matador, with a number of spectators aboard, crossed the course of the yachts, for the purpose of obtaining photographs of them, and before she could get out of the way, Shamrock I. grazed against her and had her spinnaker boom carried away. When the captain of Shamrock III. saw the damage done, the old challenger he promptly took in his own spinnaker so they could race on even terms. The yachts finished without these sails flying.

### Terrible Loss of Life.

Hong Kong, April 11.—As the result of an explosion at the Canton arsenal powder factory 1,500 persons are reported killed.

London, April 11.—Lord Beresford's book on China, speaking of the arsenal at Canton, which is reported in a dispatch from Canton to have been the scene of a disastrous powder explosion, describes the building as having windows whose only protection is open grating. Beresford, in his work, states that he warned the mandarin there against the danger resulting from this inadequate protection.

### Mrs. Langtry Extinguishes Fire.

Salem, Mass., April 11.—Mrs. Lily Langtry made her first Salem appearance last night in Mme. Mars. During the second act, a little smoke from a burning carpet, caught from the electric wires, was seen on the stage. It continued for a half hour and finally she discovered it and, as if it were part of the play, walked over still talking and, stooping, smothered it with a tank used in the play. It was done so coolly that the audience applauded. Later she referred to it in a little speech.

### Deed of Jealous Man.

Manchester, N. H., April 11.—Apparently through motives of jealousy, Charles William Sell, of East Manchester, last evening fired five shots at Mabel French, daughter of George M. French, and her escort, Grover Davis, with the result that the shots took effect, two in the body of the girl and one in the right forearm of the young man. It is not believed that any of the wounds will prove fatal. Davis was escorting Miss French home from an entertainment when they met Sells.

### Shot Wife and Himself.

Attleboro, Mass., April 11.—Crazed with jealousy, James Anderson last night shot his wife as she was walking with her brother, and Frank Sprague, and then shot himself. It is thought that both will die. Mrs. Anderson recently brought suit for divorce against her husband on account of his addiction to intoxicants. Anderson was taken to the Rhode Island Hospital at Providence late last night.

### Four Persons Fatally Shot.

Athens, O., April 11.—Four people were fatally shot and one seriously wounded last night in a fight in Jacksonville, a mining town 15 miles north of Athens. The fight occurred in the saloon of Shrotsky located in the outskirts of the town.

### Excitement in Wheat.

Armour accomplished a great coup in May and July wheat and started a semi-panic on the Chicago Board of Trade this morning, when he bid May up to 77 1/2 from 76 1/2, and July to 72 1/2 from 71 1/2. Intense excitement followed. Later Armour had doubled on his tracks, and unloaded a tremendous line of long May and July shooting prices down to 74 3/8 and 69 7/8 respectively. Ten million bushels are said to have been thrown overboard by Armour and the amount cleaned up by him in the operations of Friday and today, is placed at \$1,000,000.

### FOREIGN NEWS.

Serious rioting by unemployed men occurred in the street of St. Petersburg today. Troops were called out and the rioters suppressed.

The Birmingham Mail today prints an authorized denial of the report that Colonial Secretary Chamberlain will visit America in the autumn.

In the Bow Street Police Court. London, today Prince Alexander Makafine, a member of one of the lesser Russian houses, was remanded on a charge of stealing a diamond pin and jewels.

Eight famous Anatolian bull fighters with their wives were crossing the Guadalquivir at Cordova last evening, when the barge in which they were sank and six of the fighters and four of the women were drowned.

The night mail was wrecked at Ballymore Eustace, 19 miles southwest of Dublin, last night. One person was killed and eight injured. The train collided with a bogie, which, it is asserted, was maliciously placed on the rails yesterday evening.

The prime movers in the work of securing a big German exhibit for the St. Louis exposition were greatly disappointed today by the receipt of notifications that neither the Krupp works nor the large toy manufacturers would have exhibits at the fair.

Alfred Thompson, a steward of the

## A MYSTERY STILL.

The evidence given yesterday at the inquest into the death of Arthur R. Pennell and Mrs. Pennell before Justice Murphy in Buffalo will not help the authorities in any way to a solution of the Burdick murder mystery. Whether the tragedy at Gehre's stone quarry on March 10, in which Pennell was killed and Mrs. Pennell was fatally injured, was due to accident or design was not proven.

Thomas Penny, who acted as attorney for the Pennell family since Arthur Pennell's death, declared that so far as he was aware, nothing in the papers left by Mr. Pennell would throw any light upon the murder of Edwin R. Burdick. When questioned regarding the alleged defalcations by Pennell, Mr. Penny declined to answer. J. Frederick Pennell, brother of the dead lawyer and administrator of the estate, who has possession of most of the papers, was out of the city and Mr. Penny informed the court that he did not know where he was or when he would return to Buffalo.

"Evidence that would show defalcation would simply be accumulative," said Justice Murphy after the evidence was all in. "No stronger motive could be proven than has already been brought out here in the Burdick inquest. But proving a motive does not establish suicide. The court is prepared to announce its findings."

Judge Murphy then delivered his verdict as follows: "I find and certify: That Arthur R. Pennell came to his death on the 10th day of March, 1903, as a result of injuries received while riding in an automobile, the said automobile plunging from an embankment down into the Gehre's stone quarry; that I cannot determine from the evidence submitted whether such a plunge was accidental or designed; that Carrie Lamb Pennell came to her death as a result of said plunge of the automobile into the quarry."

## GOOD ADVICE.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart-burn, Water-brash, Gnawing and Burning Pains at the Pit of the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Disagreeable Taste in the Mouth, Coming up of Food after Eating, Low Spirits, etc. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 25 or 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it.

## To Get Rid of a Troublesome Corn.

First soak it in warm water to soften it, then pare it down as closely as possible without drawing the blood and apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice daily, rubbing vigorously for five minutes at each application. A corn plaster should be worn for a few days, to protect it from the shoe. As a general liniment for sprains, bruises, lameness and rheumatism, Pain Balm is unequalled. For sale by Richard Gibson, druggist.

## A Sweet Breath.

is a never failing sign of a healthy stomach. When the breath is bad the stomach is out of order. There is no remedy in the world equal to Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for curing indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders. Mrs. Mary S. Crick, of White Plains, Ky., writes: "I have been a dyspeptic for years—tried all kinds of remedies but continued to grow weaker. By the use of Kodol I began to improve at once, and after taking a few bottles am fully restored in weight, health and strength and can eat whatever I like. Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet." E. S. Leachman & Sons.

## List of Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Alexandria, Va., postoffice on April 11, 1903:

Argent, T. E.	Little, J. C.
Brown, Maud	Lannon, E. C.
Burt, Joseph G.	Maynard, D. S.
Burnham, W. S.	Miller, J. M.
Causton, J. J.	McDaniel, Mary
Elliott, Mrs. J. P.	Pugh, A. C.
Hammond, Henry	Smoot, B. F.
James, George	Schultz, Ella
Johnson, Peare	Turner, Mary
Kennedy, Theodore F.	Wilson, C. A.
Wood, Anne	

## JOSEPH L. CRUPPER, P. M.

## WHOLESALE PRICES IN ALEXANDRIA.

The remains of the late Admiral George B. Balch reached Boston yesterday. A private funeral was held at his late home afternoon. This evening the body will be conveyed to Washington, where, on Monday, a public funeral will be held at St. John's Church. The remains will be interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington.

The cup-defender Reliance will be launched at Bristol, R. I., late this evening. The boat is a combination of the new points of Constitution and Independence. The hull is of the eastern type, great, has no section lines; long overhangs; a flatter run to reach on and more stability.

The Johnstone line steamer Vedalia sailed today from Baltimore for Liverpool with the largest shipment of live cattle ever shipped over the coast—about 1,000 head. In stalls on her upper decks she carried 1,070 cattle, and 1,645 sheep.

The Maine Central regular shops at Thompson's Point, Portland, Me., were burned last night. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. The shops were thrown out of employment, and the shops were destroyed.

Word comes from the West Coast Oil Company, Texas, that the American Oil Company is now testing a new kind of kerosene, which is flowing over a hundred barrels a day, and oil is the finest lubricant yet found.

The State experiment station of the University of Minnesota has succeeded after many years in growing a variety of tomatoes and tomatoes on the same vine.

Frank Laport and his wife, residing South Dix Hills, five miles from Northampton, N. Y., were found dead in bed this morning from bullet wounds. It is believed they were murdered.

**The Market.**  
Georgetown, April 11.—Wheat 75&80.

**THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE VIRGINIA MARINE COMPANY** will be held at 301 King street, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock, SATURDAY, the 18th day of April, 1903.

By CLARENCE THOMAS, Secretary.

**OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER.** Fort Washington, Maryland. March 14, 1903. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 1 o'clock, noon, April 16, 1903, for construction of new walkways, and for the following envelopes containing proposals must be marked "Proposals for Side-walks, Fort Hunt, Va." Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained from this office. By H. H. MCMANUS, Constructing Quartermaster.

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